

20th November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been brought to our attention that children have been discussing an internet craze called 'Momo'. Momo, from our understanding, is a user contacted through WhatsApp and social media. A person called 'Momo' then gives instructions and encouragement to take part in dangerous challenges, before finishing with instructions for the user to commit suicide.

As you can understand, we are shocked that this exists and, as children in Year 5 have been discussing this, we feel it is important for us to make you aware of it.

Both classes have been spoken to, by their class teachers, about how these games are made up and **not appropriate for ANYONE**. We do not want them to investigate or google them, and if they have concerns then they need to talk to an adult. They have also been reminded about how to keep safe online.

We want to work as closely as possible with parents to ensure that we are all informed, and can equip ourselves with the knowledge to keep all children at school safe from the dangers of the internet.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further concerns.

Yours sincerely



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